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TITLE OF INVENTION
TELESCOPIC MECHANISMAPPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

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2. ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3. ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
4. ☒ The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).
5. ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. ☐ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. ☒ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6. ☒ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - a. ☒ is attached hereto.
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7. ☐ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. ☐ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
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 - d. ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
8. ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
9. ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
10. ☐ An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

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11. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98; one Form PTO-1449; International Search Report; German Patent Office Search Report; & English translation;
12. ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13. ☒ A **FIRST** preliminary amendment.
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19. ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
20. ☒ Other items or information:
 - a) PCT/IB/308;
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Dear Sirs:

Transmitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (entering the national phase in a PCT application (PCT/EP02/04583) (WO 01/89909)) is a new application including:

- a) Form PTO-1390, with authorization to charge ;
- b) Form PCT/IB/308 (mailed November 29, 2001) entitled NOTICE INFORMING THE APPLICANT OF THE COMMUNICATION OF THE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION TO THE DESIGNATED OFFICES, indicating that the original PCT application was transmitted by the International Office to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office - 2 pages;

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- c) Original filed German language PCT application of ten (10) pages, with thirteen (13) claims;
- d) Title page of published PCT application;
- e) English-language translation of PCT original application, which is an accurate translation of the original German language PCT application;
- f) Two (2) sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1-5b);
- g) Application Data Sheet;
- h) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- i) Form PCT/RO/101 - Request as filed (in German);
- j) Form PCT/RO/105 (in German);
- k) Form PCT/ISA/210 (in German) - International Search Report performed by European Patent Office and Annex thereto, and English translation of relevant portions;
- l) Form PCT/RO/111 (in German);
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- n) Form PCT/IB/318 - Notification Relating to Priority Claim;
- o) Form PCT/IB/301 - Notification of Receipt of Record Copy;
- p) Preliminary Amendment; and
- q) Information Disclosure Statement; one Form PTO-1449; twelve (13) references; International Search Report (in German) and English-language translation thereof; and German Patent Office Search Report (in German) and English-language translation thereof.

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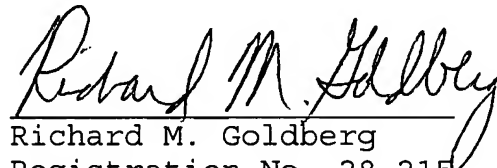
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It is respectfully requested that the above-identified PCT application be granted a filing date within the January 19, 2002 convention term (20 months), based on PCT Application No. PCT/EP01/04583, filed April 24, 2001, and German Application No. 200 08 927.7, filed May 19, 2000 and German Application No. 200 14 297.2, filed August 21, 2000.

In the event that this Paper is late filed, and the necessary petition for extension of time is not filed concurrently herewith, please consider this as a Petition for the requisite extension of time, and to the extent not tendered by check attached hereto, authorization to charge the extension fee, or any other fee required in connection with this Paper, to Account No. 07-1524.

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